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--After properly delivery, precursor stent 10 and stent grafts 80(a) and 80(b) should appear as they do in figure 19. Precursor stent 10 along with its attached gasket member 30 are firmly secured within the infrarenal neck 3. The outward force of the stent grafts 80 on the precursor stent 10 help to secure the device within the body. The proximal ends of the stent-grafts are firmly attached to the iliac arteries 1 and 2. Thereafter blood will flow from the abdominal aorta 302 down into and through stent grafts 80(a) and 80(b) and into iliac arteries 1 and 2, thereby bypassing the aneurysmal sack 304. If all the components are placed accurately, distal end of the device should appear as it does in Figure 20.--

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--ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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A delivery apparatus for a self-expanding stent allows for ease of repositioning. The apparatus includes an outer sheath made from an elongated tubular member having distal and proximal ends, and an inner shaft located coaxially within the outer sheath. The shaft has a distal end and a proximal end. The shaft includes a removable member on an exterior surface thereof adjacent to its proximal end. The removable member being sized such that it prevents the sheath from sliding along the shaft proximal to the member until it is removed therefrom. Preferably, the distal end of the shaft further including at least two grooves disposed thereon. Preferably the apparatus includes a substantially cylindrical self-expanding stent